

## Message Text

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TAGS: EINV, BDIS, ENRG, PE  
SUBJECT: GULF: DECREE LAW UNLIKELY TO BE ISSUED MARCH 1

REF: LIMA 1382

1. AT LUNCH FEB 28, FINANCE VICE MINISTER ROBERTO KEIL INFORMED ECON COUNSELOR AND ECON OFF THAT COUNCIL OF MINISTERS MEETING MARCH 1 WILL PROBABLY NOT HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO APPROVE ISSUANCE DECREE LAW FIXING EXCHANGE RATE FOR GULF CASE. KEIL INDICATED THAT DELAY DUE TO FACT THAT MINISTRY OF ENERGY AND MINES HAS BEEN CONCENTRATING ON DRAFTING OF NEW GUIDELINES FOR PETROLEUM EXPLORATION CONTRACTS WHICH IT HOPES COUNCIL OF MINISTERS WILL FOCUS ON AT MARCH 1 MEETING. HE SAID THAT HE THOUGHT GULF MATTER WOULD BE TAKEN UP AT MARCH 15 COUNCIL MEETING.

2. COMMENT: WE HAVE NO INDICATION THAT THERE IS ANY SNAG IN GOP'S EFFORTS TO RESOLVE GULF CASE. KEIL NOTED THAT HIS MINISTRY HAD CLEARED OFF ON ENERGY AND MINES' DRAFT DECREE LAW.  
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